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SOMETHING ABOUT AGASSIZ.-Professor Agassiz wrote much for the press in former times. When the old Boston Courier flourished before the war, which closed its career (Boston being too loyal after that "awful" firing on Sumter to tolerate its true Democratic thunder), Agassiz, with Choate. Cushing, Lunt and others, whose names stood brightest among the Democratic phalaux of New England, were constant contributors to its columns. Poor John Clarke, may he rest in peace, was its last editorial proprietor, and he was a devoted friend and admirer of the professor, knowing him as he did intimately, and he never tired of relating anecdotes concerning his eccentricities. Among others he was wont to tell the following as illustrative of his method of lecturing and enforcing his precepts: The professor was announced to deliver a lecture in one of the outside cities of Massachusetts. The audience gathered, and comprised the elite of the beauty, fashion and intelligence of the place. After waiting for some time with much impatience for the professor to appear, he finally entered, and was greeted, as always, with warm applause by the audience. Instead of ascending the stand, however, he at once went among the ladies, and putting his hands into his capacious pockets, pulled forth a couple of handsful of grasshoppers! These he scattered around in the laps of the fair Yankees, regardless of their slight screams, "Oh my's!" and other conventional feminine ejaculations of fright. Ascending the stand, then, the first thing he uttered was, "Ladies, how many legs has a grasshopper?" This was certainly an astounding query, and took his fair auditors completely by surprise, for, however many of them had seen grashoppers all their lives, not one among the number had ever thought of counting their legs. He repeated the question to show he was in earnest, and they began to "guess" and answer at random, but all proved wrong. "No, ladies, I will tell you how many legs has a grasshopper. His legs are six. You must always look with your eyes, ladies. The more you look with your eyes the less you will have to think with your heads." And in this simple way the great man who has left us impressed upon his audiences one of the greatest truths

AN ARKANSAS STAGE ROBBERY.-The particulars of the daring robbery of a stage near Hot Springs, Ark., on Thursday, 15th instant, are narrated by the Little Rock Republican as follows: The robbery occured about half a mile beyond the Gaines place, and about four and a half miles this side of Hot Springs. The highwaymen numbered five, mounted on horses, and came from the direction of the Springs. They passed the stage on the road, but after going a little way they wheeled around, and galloping up behind, ordered the driver, with an oath, to stop, and leveled pistols at him and the passengers inside. The order was obeyed, and the next command was that the passengers should get out. Having done so they were ranged in a row, told to hold their hands up, and, while four of the brigands covered them with revolvers, the leader deliberately and coolly proceeded to go through their pockets. The passengers were soon relieved of their money and all valuables in their possession. From ex-Gov, Burbank, of Dakota, they

-teaching them the uses of objective observa-

tion as an aid to subjective reasoning.-Rich.

took over \$800 in money, a gold watch, and a diamond breastpin; from Charles Moore, of this city, they took about \$70 in money and a watch, but returned the latter with disdain, because it was a silver watch; from John Dietrich of this city, they secured but \$5, their search being so careless as to miss \$50 in an inside pocket; Mr. Taylor, of Lowell, Massachusetts, surrendered the sum of \$650, or thereabouts: a passenger from Syracuse, N. Y., made an appropriation of \$160, the pocket book of Mr. Peoples, living near the Springs, contributed the sum of \$20. Three farmers were unfortunate enough to

have about \$20 between them; Mr. Crump, of Memphis, added to the spoils about \$40 in cash and a watch, and the express package yielded \$435. The robbers completed their work by ripping open the mail bags in search of registered letters, and by appropriating the best horse attached to the stage.

Having thus satisfied themselves, the brigands rode off and have not since been heard of.

THE INAUGURATION OF WASHINGTON .-This ceremony (1789) took place in Federal Hall, Wall street, New York, which building was afterwards used as the New York Custom House. It stood on the present site of our Custom House, though it did not occupy but about half the ground. Washington made his appearance in a plain suit of brown cloth, coat, waistcoat, and breeches-the dress was homespun-home manufactured-even to the buttons; which displayed the arms of the United States chased by Robinson, the engraver. White silk stockings showed the contour of a manly leg; and his shoes, according to the fashion of the day, were ornamented with buckles. His head was uncovered, and his hair dressed and powdered; for such was the universal custom of the time. Thus was his tall, fine figure presented to view at the moment which forms an epoch in the history of nations. John Adams, a shorter figure, in a similarly plain dress, but with the (even then) old fashioned Massachusetts wig, stood at Washington's right hand; and opposite to the President elect, stood Chancellor Livingston, in a full suit of black, ready to administer the prescribed oath of office. Between them was placed Mr. Otis, the clerk of the Senate, a small man, bearing the Bible on a cushion. In the back ground of this picture, and at the right and left, stood the warriors and sages of the Revolution-the men who forgot self for the sake of their country. The man on whom all hearts rested, stretched forth his right hand with that simpheity and dignity which characterized all his actions, and placed it on the open book. The oath of office was read. The Bible was raised, and he bowed his head upon it. The chancel-lor announced that it was done-"that George

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